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INR AFTERNOON PRESS TODAY HEADLINES THAT CRISIS EXISTS IN RELATIONS
CIA BETWEEN KING AND PRIMIN. THIS BASED ON FACT KING IS NOT SUPPOSED
NSA TO HAVE GRANTED AUDIENCE REQUESTED BY PAPANDREOU THROUGH MARSHAL
DOD OF COURT PAPATHANASSIADES WEDNESDAY. THIS INTERPRETED AS SERIOUS
AID AFFRONT TO PAPANDREOU. LEFT OF CENTER NEA AND ATHINAIKI
BOTH RUN SPLASHY EXTRA EDITIONS TO EFFECT POLITICAL SITUATION
RSR CRITICAL, BECAUSE KING REFUSED TO SIGN DECREE FOR DISMISSAL
OF MINDEF GAROUFALIAS. THIS REPORT NOW BEING DENIED BY PRIMIN'S
OFFICE, BUT THERE IS STILL POSSIBILITY THAT HAVING PRO-GOVT
PAPERS CARRY THIS STORY IS WAY OF SETTING STAGE FOR SOME DRAMATIC
STEP BY PRIMIN, SUCH AS HAVING HIM OFFER RESIGNATION AND
DEMAND IMMEDIATE ELECTIONS.
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